IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.1328 OF 2007

1.Shri Nitin Shivanand Khanna, &
2.Shri Shivanand Ishwarappa Khanna. ..Applicants.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra ...Respondent.

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Mr.D.A.Nalawade, Adv. for the Applicants.
Mr.V.B.Konde-Deshmukh, APP, for the State.

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CORAM : SMT.V.K.TAHILRAMANI,J.
DATED : 30th April, 2007.

P.C.:

1. Heard the learned Advocate for the Applicants and the learned APP for the State.

2. The applicants are seeking bail in C.R.No.31 of 2007 of Gadhinglaj Police Station. The said case is under Sections 498-A, 306 read with 34 of IPC.

3. The applicant No.1 was the husband of the deceased Pallavi and applicant No.2 is the father of applicant No.1. The main allegations are against applicant No.1. Hence as far as applicant No.1 is concerned, liberty is granted to him to prefer a separate application for bail after the

charge-sheet is filed.

4. As far as applicant No.2 - Shivanand Ishwarappa Khanna is concerned, he is over 62 years of age and as observed earlier the main role has been played by applicant No.1. Hence, looking to the role played by applicant No.2 and especially his age, I am inclined to grant bail to applicant No.2 Shivanand Ishwarappa Khanna only.

5. The applicant No.2 - Shivanand Ishwarappa Khanna to be released on bail in the sum of Rs.25,000/- with one or two sureties to make up the said amount. The applicant shall report to Gadhinglaj Police Station once in a week, till conclusion of the trial.

6. Application is disposed of accordingly.

(SMT.V.K.TAHILRAMANI,J.)